## WASHINGTON METROPOLITAN AREA TRANSIT COMMISSION

WASHINGTON, DC

ORDER NO. 5731

IN THE MATTER OF:

Served October 22, 1999

Application of JAMES HINSON, JR., ) Trading as HINSON TRANSPORTATION ) SERVICES, for a Certificate of Authority -- Irregular Route Operations

Case No. AP-99-71

By application accepted for filing October 19, 1999, James Hinson, Jr., a sole proprietor trading as Hinson Transportation Services, seeks a certificate of authority for irregular route operations in vehicles with a seating capacity of less than 16 persons only, including the driver.

commencing operations with one van. Applicant proposes Applicant's proposed tariff contains hourly rates, per capita rates, and rates for transportation under the DC Medicaid program.

This proceeding is hereby initiated to determine whether applicant is fit and whether the proposed transportation is consistent with the public interest.

## THEREFORE, IT IS ORDERED:

- 1. That applicant shall publish once in a newspaper of general circulation in the Metropolitan District, no later than November 5, 1999, notice in the form prescribed by the staff of the Commission.
- 2. That applicant shall file with the Commission, no later than November 26, 1999, an original and four copies of an affidavit that notice has been published as required in the preceding paragraph.
- 3. That the deadline for filing protests, comments, applications for intervention, and requests for formal hearing, is November 26, 1999, and that copies must be served on applicant at 5403 Second Street, N.W., Washington, DC 20011.

FOR THE COMMISSION:

William H. McGilvery

Executive Director